

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1 1. A connector cap for an electrical connector of a
2 hard disk drive, wherein the electrical connector has a top
3 surface, comprising:

4 a cap that is adapted to cover the top surface of the
5 electrical connector.

1 2. The cap of claim 1, wherein said cap includes an
2 outer wall that extends from a top wall of said housing.

1 3. The cap of claim 1, wherein said cap includes a
2 pair of notches.

1 4. The cap of claim 1, wherein said cap is constructed
2 from a glass filled plastic material.

1 5. A connector assembly for an electrical connector
2 for a hard disk drive, comprising:
3 an electrical connector that has a top surface; and,

4 a cap that covers said top surface of said electrical
5 connector.

1 6. The assembly of claim 5, wherein said cap includes
2 an outer wall that extends from a top wall.

1 7. The assembly of claim 5, wherein said cap includes
2 a pair of notches.

1 8. The assembly of claim 5, wherein said cap is
2 constructed from a glass filled plastic material.

1 9. A connector assembly for an electrical connector for
2 a hard disk drive, comprising:

3 an electrical connector that has a top surface; and,
4 means for covering said top surface of said electrical
5 connector.

1 10. The assembly of claim 9, wherein said means
2 includes a cap which has an outer wall that extends from a
3 top wall.

1 11. The assembly of claim 10, wherein said cap
2 includes a pair of notches.

1 12. The assembly of claim 9, wherein said cap is
2 constructed from a glass filled plastic material.

1 13. A method for assembling an electrical connector
2 into a hard disk drive, comprising:
3 covering a top surface of an electrical connector with
4 a cap;
5 transporting the electrical connector to an assembly
6 site;
7 removing the cap from the electrical connector; and,
8 assembling the electrical connector into a hard disk
9 drive.